VICTORY
Through
CHRIST

CRUSADER

1944

Bruce Bowen
"45"

Dear Helen,
Keep up the
good work on the piano!
Lots of luck.
Matt 6:36. Bud Hess

Rom 1:16

Yours I ought to,
I had a grand
time & hope
Fonie enjoyed
Helen your
friend Ford
was always in his
element
sweetly in his
letters

Dearest Helen:
I'll never
forget the good times
we've had together
you & Beckie and
I. I'll be seeing
more of you not
year and I hope
you'll still go around
with us. you're a
swell girl and don't let
anyone tell you that
you're not.
Yours with love,
Ruth.

Fred Harris

Helen
been real
ung you and
st can with
k during the

summer.
Love
Ole Minik

Dear Helen, I'm sorry I haven't written before but I've been very busy. I've had a lot of company and I've been riding the streetcar with Bernice Bowen. I'll be seeing you during the summer. Good luck.

Love,
Ole Minik

Matt 11:28

Hi Helen-
It sure was fun on those hayrides wasn't it. Keep up the good work and you'll be able to ride.

Mike

Helen L. Everett

Dear Helen,
Remember all the fun rides we had this year? It was a great year and you're a swell friend. Hugs
Deut. 31:3

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Dear Helen,
Remember are good times with Lacey. Your a super kid + Good Luck.

Love Patsy

Dear Helen
We had alot of fun together singing our songs. I hope you've enjoyed it as much as I have. Wishing you the best of Luck through the coming year.

Lots of Love

Lora

Dear Helen
I hope you have a nice vacation. and come back next year.

Elizabeth Hardy

Dear Helen
Thanks for all the help you've given me this year. I'll always remember you.

Love
Mario

When you get old
Take off your shoes &
boil your socks

Joseph Espedal

Dear Helen,
your a swell kid +
I hope you have a
successful future.
yours in Him
Janet Anderson
Phil 1:3

Dear Helen:
You are
a swell kid
and a lot of fun
I wish you
success and happiness
in the future.
the Lord bless you and
make you a blessing to others.

Love,
Carlito
Gonzales
6-

Dear Helen,
Its sure been
swell knowing you.
Your sure a swell
kid and really in
the groove!

Love
Dorie Muller

Dear Helen:-
Well, here I am
again. I don't suppose
you'll ever forget
me after 5 or 6 years.
God Bless You.

Yours in Christ.
Jack

Dear Helen,
I wish it were
you a line or two,
and it would be very
9th grade is good
and I wish you
and Jesus be
And Jesus Bless

Dear Helen
I see certainly had
fun with the post Easter
Celebration. Best I think and
remember "Jesus never fails"
"Jesus never fails"
"Love
"Moffat"

May the Lord richly
bless your life through
the coming years
Nancy Steinbauer

"Tick Tock! Tick! Tock"
Hold it! Hmmmm Ha-!
Delicious! That wasn't long
enough! Try again- O.K. Here goes.
Good- Wait! Hmm- Say that tastes
Give me some more shirley. 6!
56 you watch ready Helen?
Them days are the days I
wish we still here. So
kidding: & I been sweet
knowing you Helen and
& love you Boogie Woogie
With you lots of Luck.
Dale (Hold it)
Henrickson

Dear Helen
I sure hope you enjoyed
your wonderful Fieldcowship
we'll have Jesus Won #
Phil 1:21
Love me
Fatty Friedberg

Best wishes
to you cutie
Love
Claire
(5145)

Dear Helen,
Thanks for all
the entertainment that you have
given me through your singing (:) Hope
you enjoy yourself this summer and
get real sunburnt. I guess, and hope,
that you will remember me. Does
make an impression on your mind so
you won't forget me? I wish the
to bless and keep you. Love,

Elna Wi

Dearest Helen,
Best of luck to one of
my best pals in your senior
year. I sure miss you +
wish I were there to graduate
with you. your far-a-way pal,
MY ♡ U 4U Shirley (Casey)
"45" (mish)

4
4

RUSADER

Culter Academy
We pledge our loyalty,
In Christ we honor thee,
Culter Academy
Wisdom and strength impart
Give peace and joy to heart,
Never from Christ depart,
Culter Academy.

Culter Academy

332 South Virgil Avenue

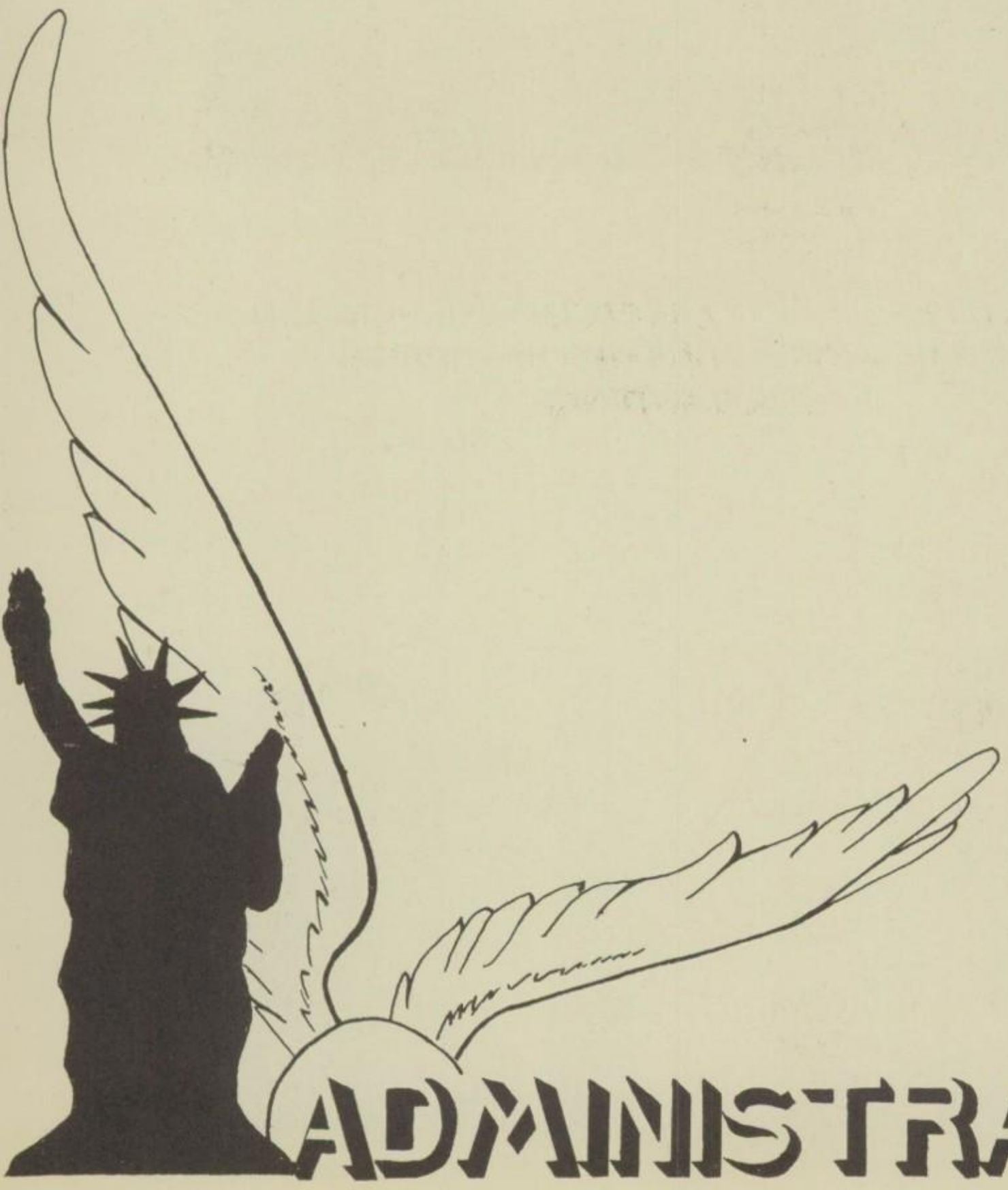
Los Angeles 5, California

DON WARNER

Dedication

Because of the blessing your Christian personality was to us in the past, and because of the influence that is still felt as a result of your teaching here, to you, Don, we dedicate this Crusader with a prayer for you and for the other fighting Christian youth which you symbolize.

THE STAFF



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"THE FEAR OF THE LORD IS THE BEGINNING OF WISDOM AND THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE HOLY IS UNDERSTANDING"

Prov. 9:10

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Deans

"Behold, thou hast instructed many, and thou hast strengthened the weak hands." —*Job 4:3*

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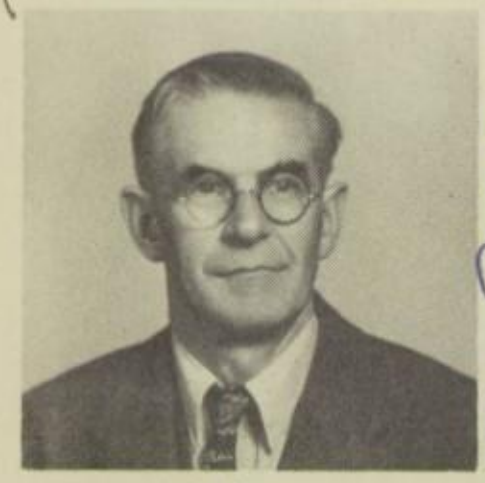

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SR. HIGH

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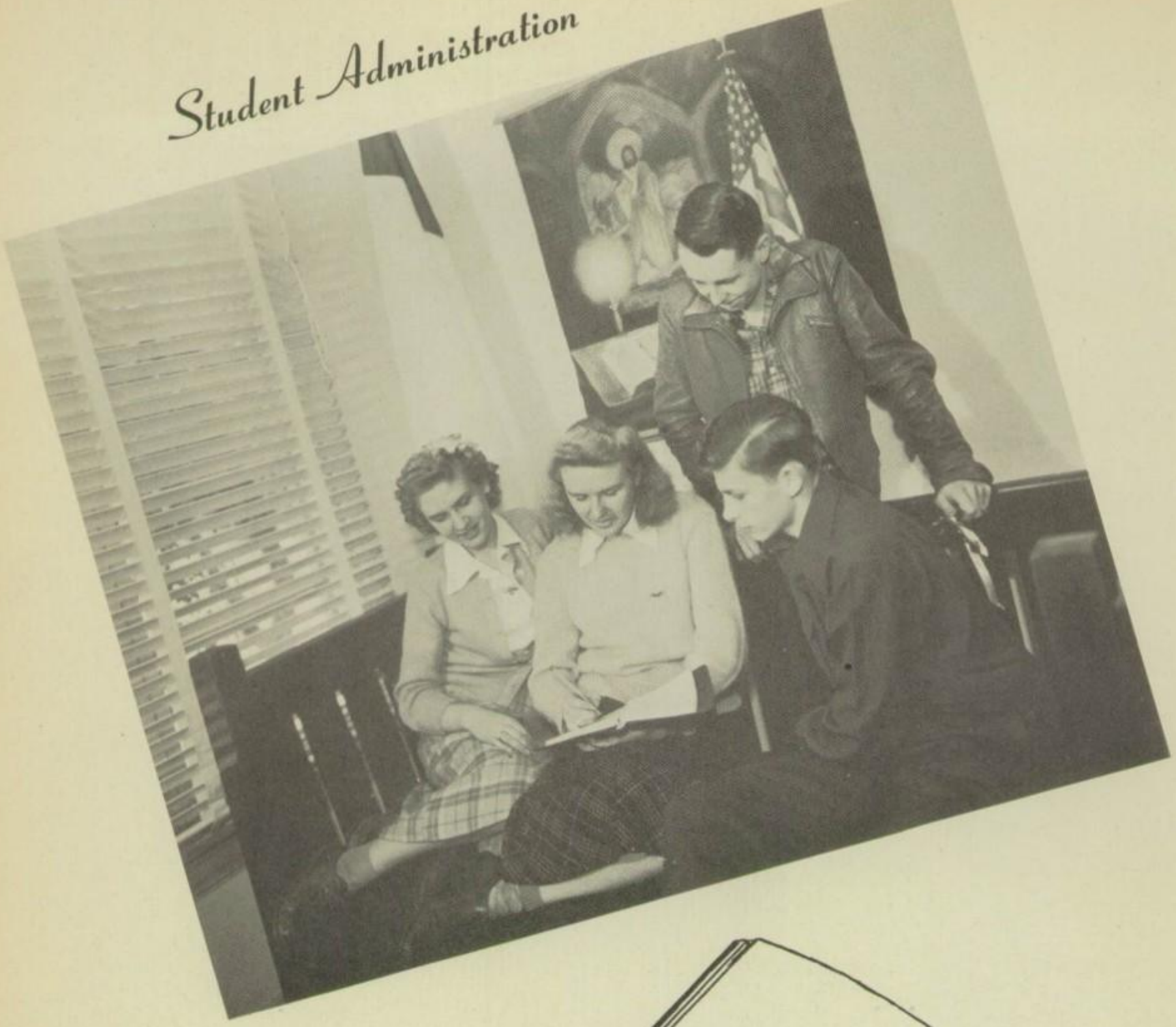

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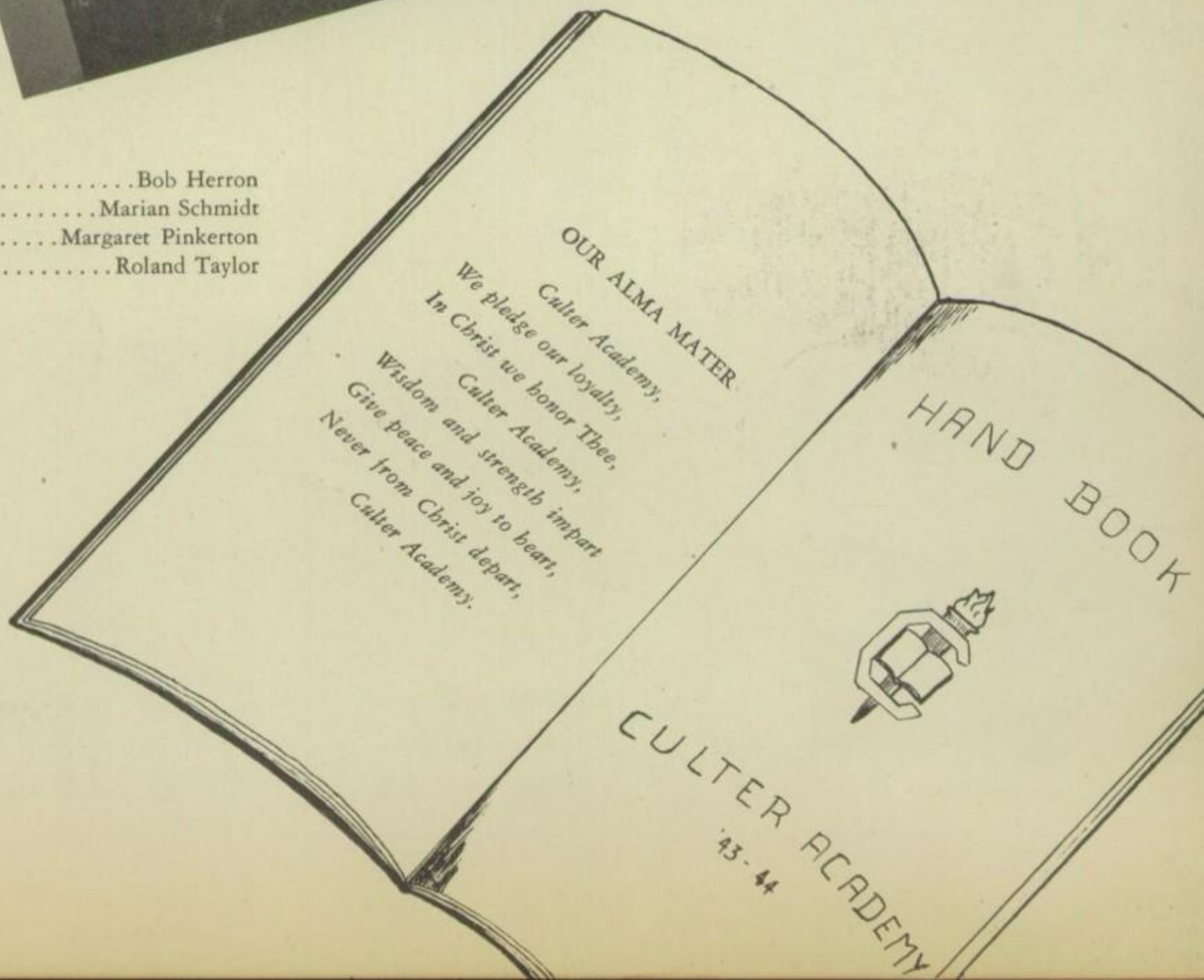

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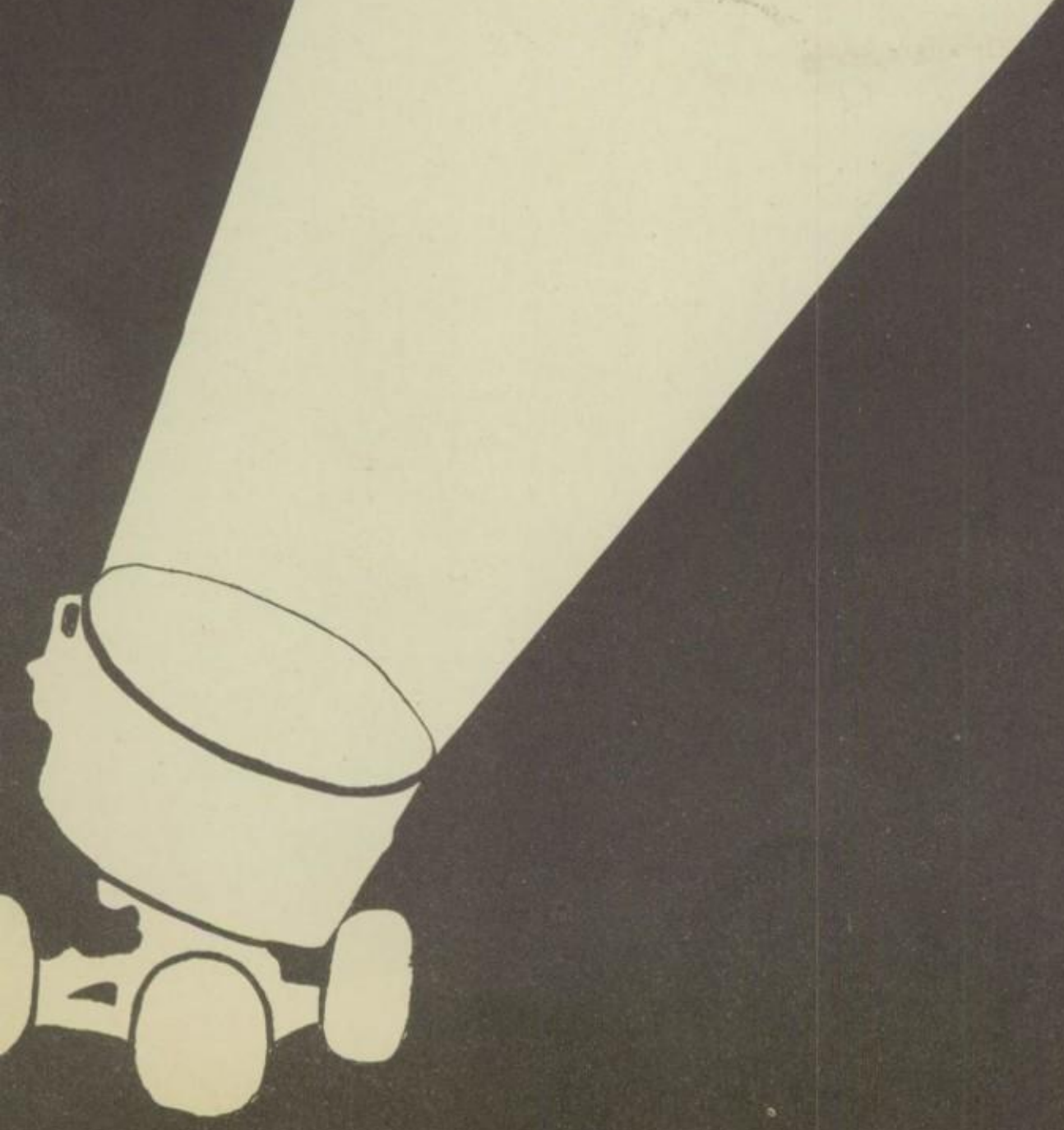

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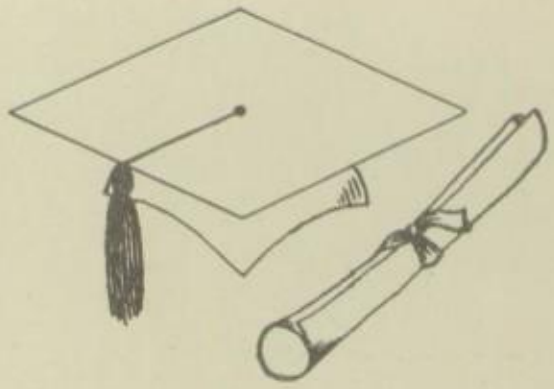

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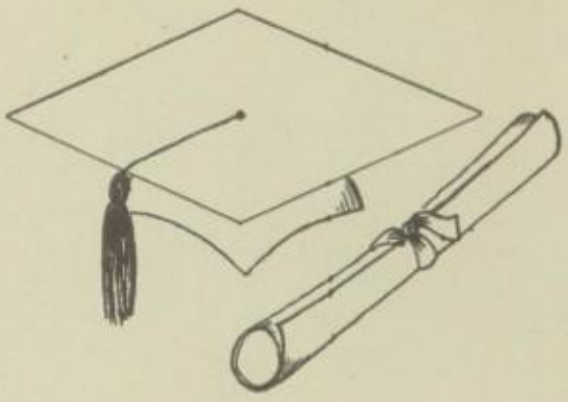

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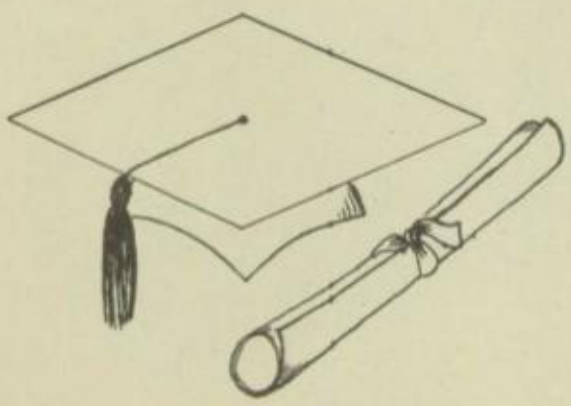

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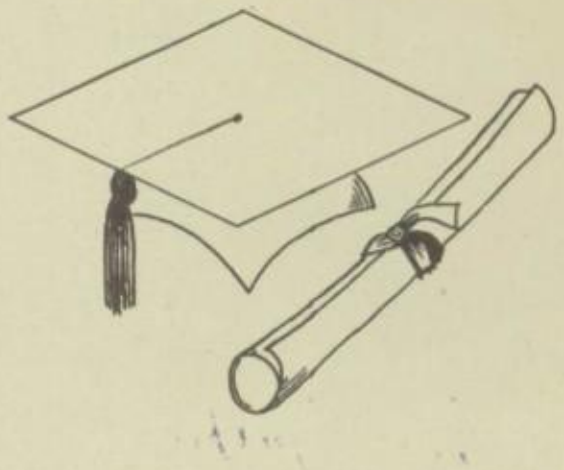

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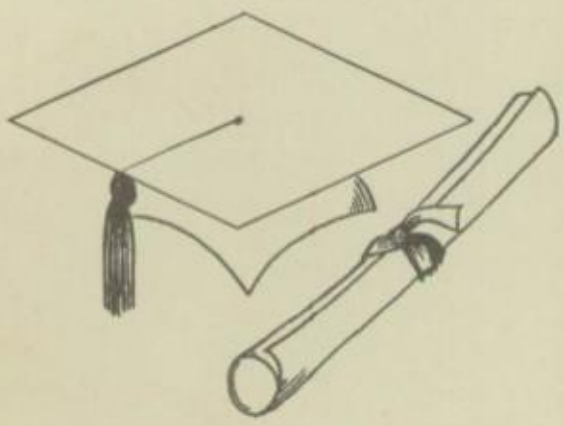

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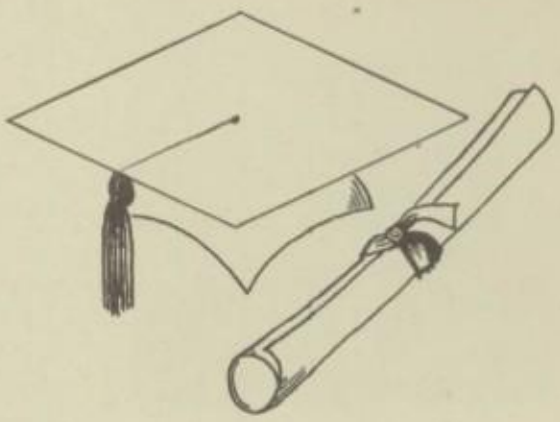

Grace Soderberg

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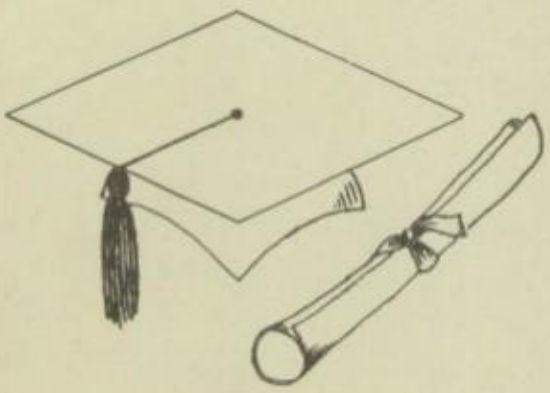
Rachel Woods

Dear Helen,
Don't forget us good old Seniors, and when you get to be one do just what we did— have fun.
Love
Rachel



old maid Marian

Shirley Cave

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M.S

E.S.

KERR'S

Elsie

E.B.

D.P.

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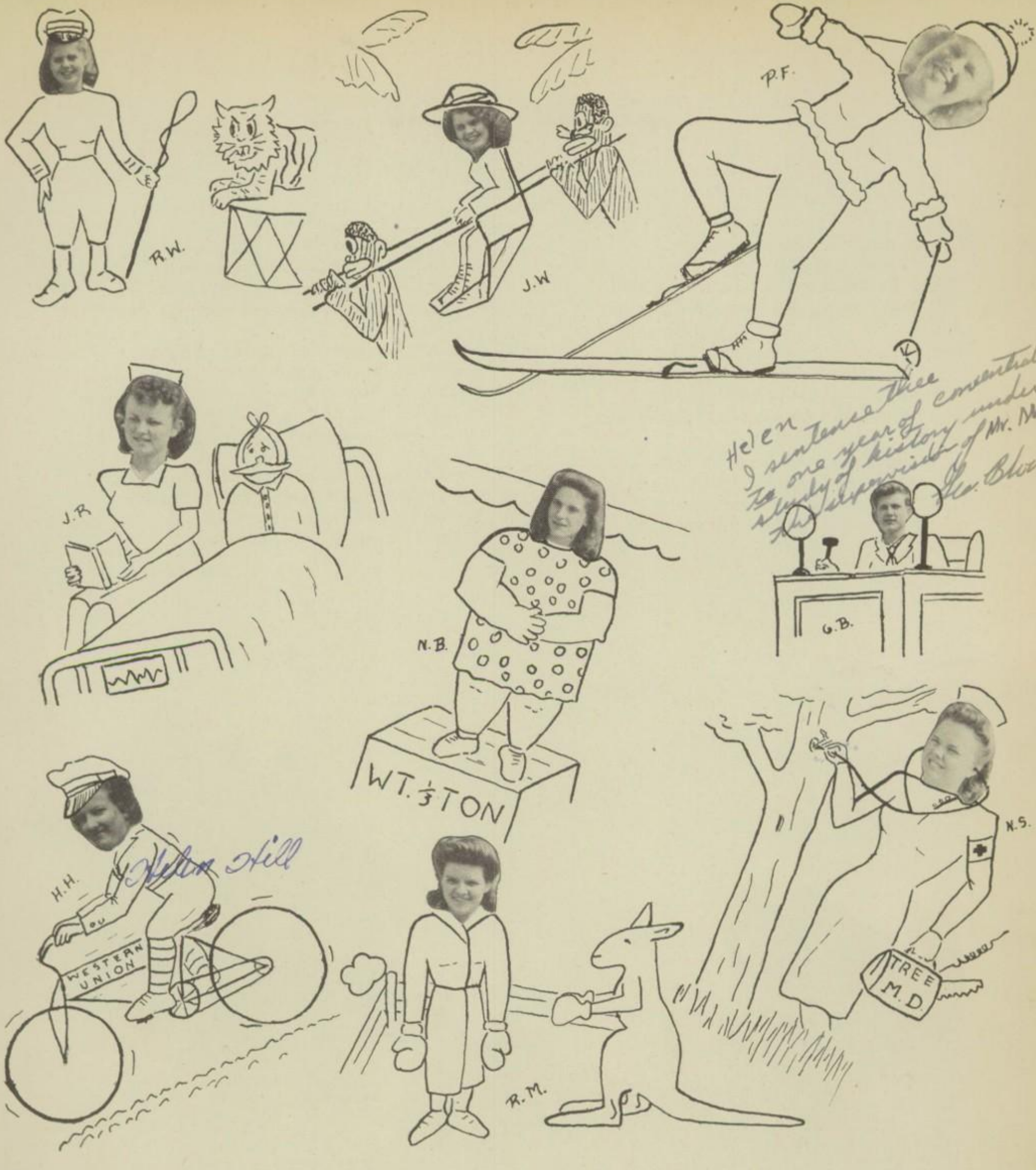

CLASS PROPHECY

A.D. 1964

Farewell To Culter

Graduation day has come at last.
Now days at school are numbered by the hour.
Our hearts are sad to have to say good-by
But yesterday was yours, today is ours.

Beyond us lie the peaks of life;
The unknown joys, the unknown strife.
Behind lie all the years of school
With hard won grades and golden rule.

While restlessly we paced the halls
And studied with impatient heart,
To graduate was goal sublime,
But now, we find it's just the start.

New problems rise before us now,
And though our freedom is attained
Its value lessons as our school days fade;
It does not seem so dear as when not gained.

We leave you now, our Christian school.
May always Christ shine forth for thee.
We humbly bow in homage to ideals
Instilled in us while we still held the key
Of knowledge carelessly within our hand.

Continue on, with knowledge yours to teach;
Continue with the gospel yours to preach.
We say farewell, farewell to thee,
Culter Academy, Culter Academy.

Jerry Martin

Junior Class

OFFICERS

Marie Ball, Ruth Peterson, Lois Kirk, Gus Tillman, Bob Ullrich

ADVISOR

"Brother" Crider

Front row: Marilyn Clark, Carlita Hatch, Lois Kirk, Virginia Bryant, Helen Everett, Elizabeth Hardy, Carol Williamson.
Second row: Marie Ball, Ruth Peterson, Martha Beck, Margaret Pinkerton, Virginia Ellis, Shirley Case, Clare Johns, Danny Workentin.
Back row: Virgil Hodges, Rex Hess, Bob Ullrich, Fred Harris, Gus Tillman.

Front row: John Woods, Bud Pennell, Burt Van, Eugene Case.
Second row: Sally Lindberg, Marion Simpson, Eleanor Herron, Frances Hudson, Ardith Norcross, Rose Farmer, Joyce Whittington, Jason Boe, Roland Taylor, Joe Sutherland, Charles John, Ralph Isbell.
Back row: Rosalee Schmidt, Carol Marshall, Winifred Reagan, Shirley Miester, Marilyn Dewhurst, Shirley Kester, Charles Allen.

Sophomore Class

Class Officers

Sally Lindberg
Rosalee Schmidt
Miss Blackstone, Advisor
Roland Taylor
Burt Van

Freshman Class

ADVISOR

Mrs. Douse

OFFICERS

Elna Wintersteen.....
Janet Anderson.....
Bud Church.....
Ronald Hansen.....
Ruth Ann Steelsmith.....
Lura Griffin.....

Front row: Betty Lindberg, Connie Ellery, Bud Church, Ronald Hansen, Bob Cobb, Edward Gaylord.
Second row: Victor Lorusso, Vyda Schlafke, Janet Anderson, Betty Pidcoe, Joan Newton, Ruth Ann Steelsmith, Jeanne Stevens, Leona Izmirian.
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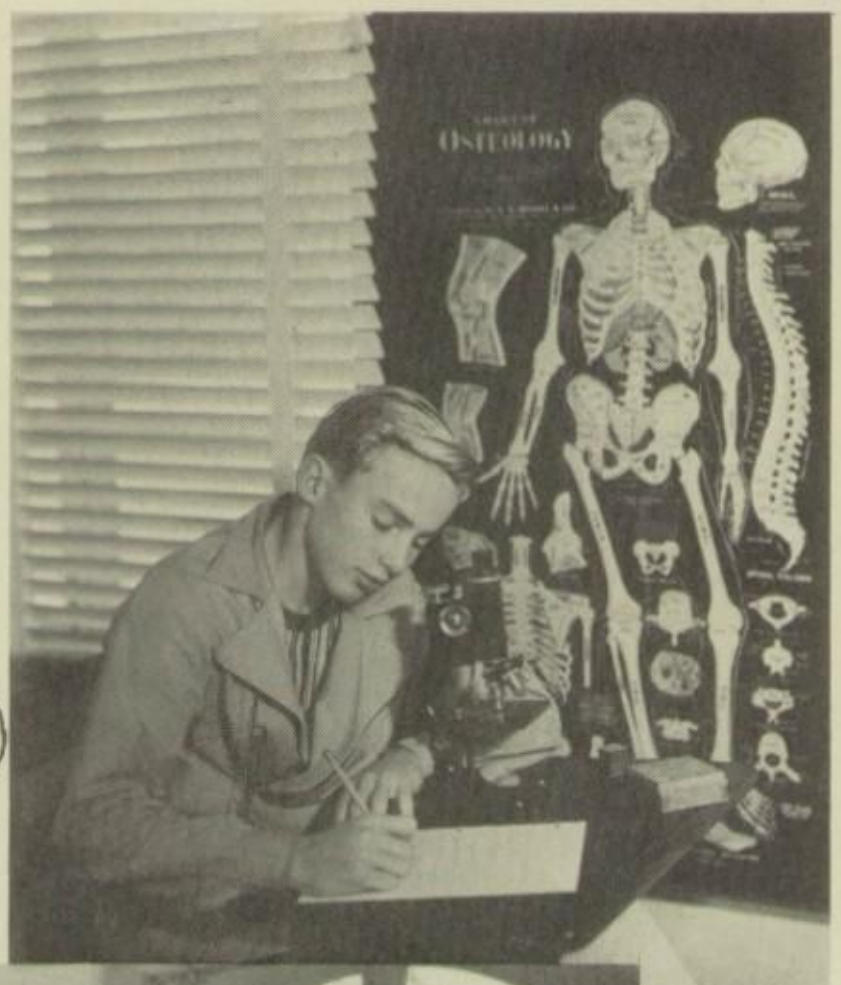
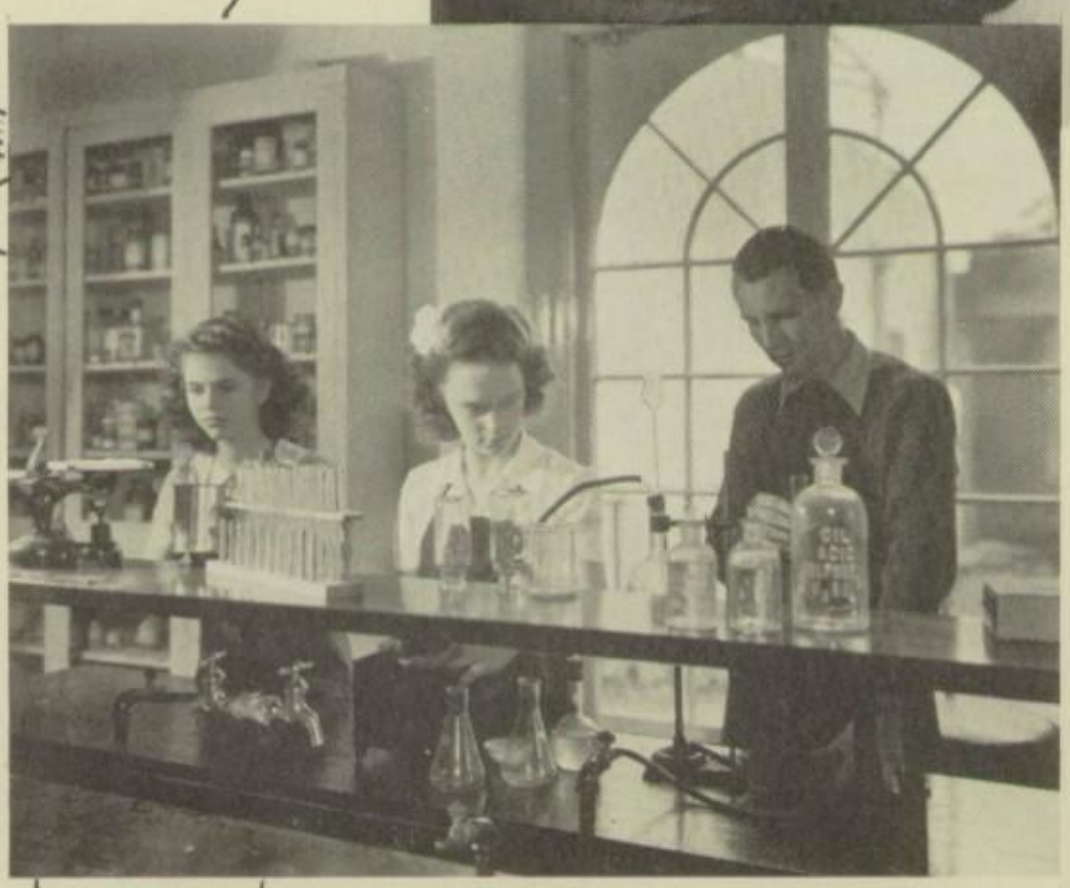
Widening





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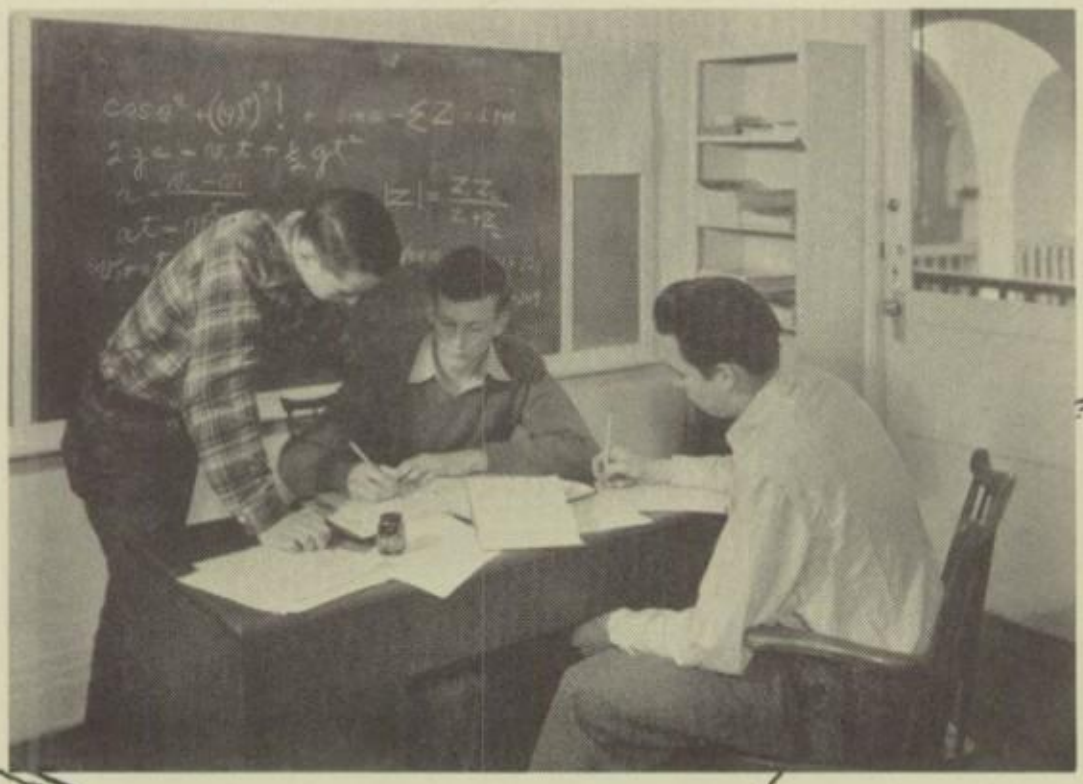


Home Economics

CLOTHING

"Kept in stitches"

FOODS

"The way to a man's heart"

Library

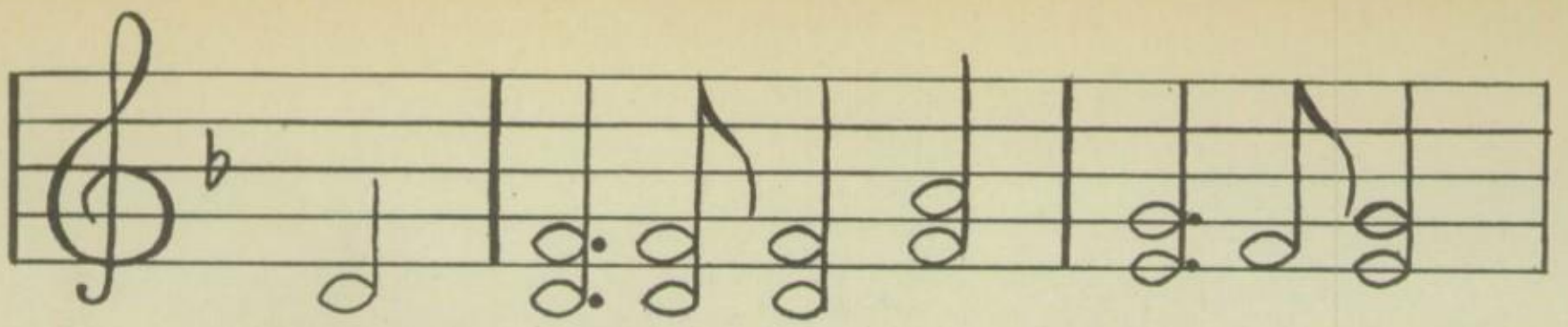
"People will not be better than the books they read."

Art

"A picture is a poem without words."

Music Appreciation

"Music is well said to be the speech of angels."

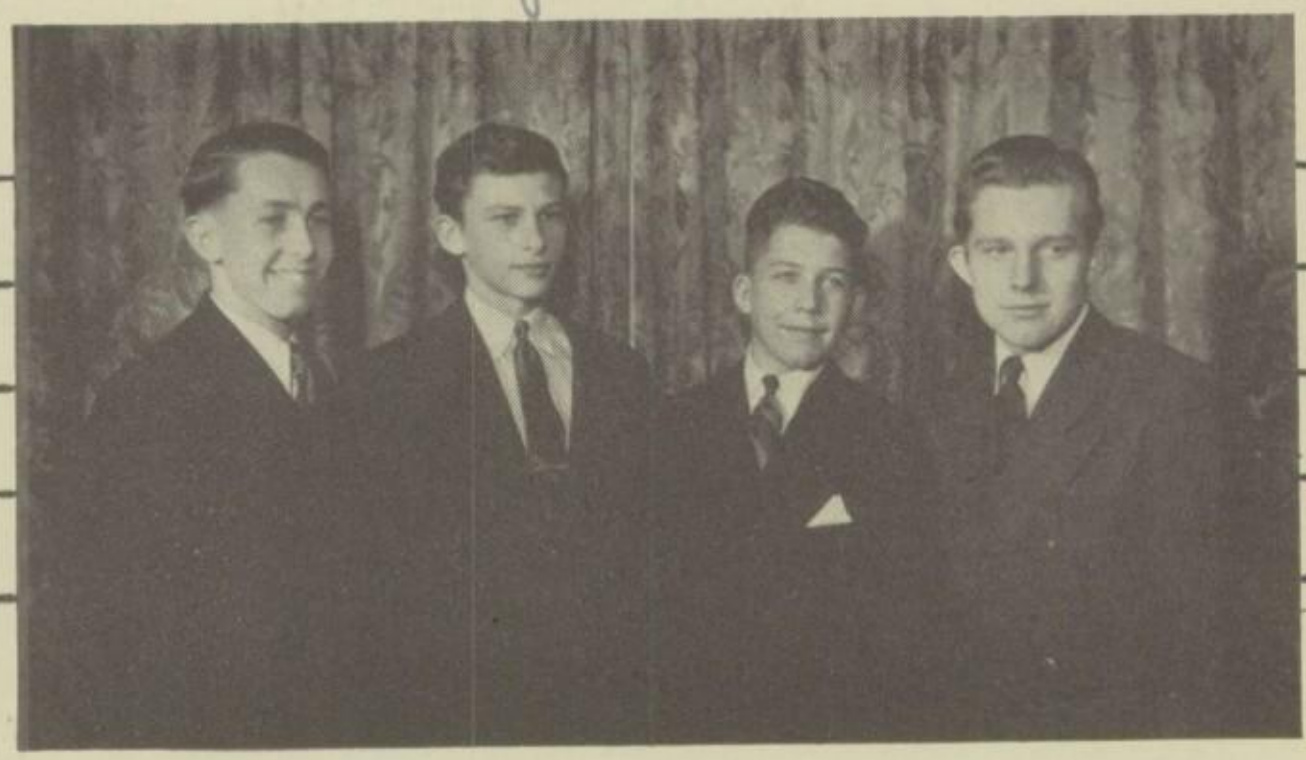


Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot

Senior High Girls Glee

Girl's Trio

Girl's Sextet



Boy's Quartette

Bob Herron, Roland **Taylor**, John Woods, Danny Warkentin

Senior High Boys Glee

Maneuvers

THANKSGIVING BANQUET

Dear Helen
Well, chemistry and this year are over, another year will come but thank goodness chemistry won't. Best wishes always
Love,
Virginia

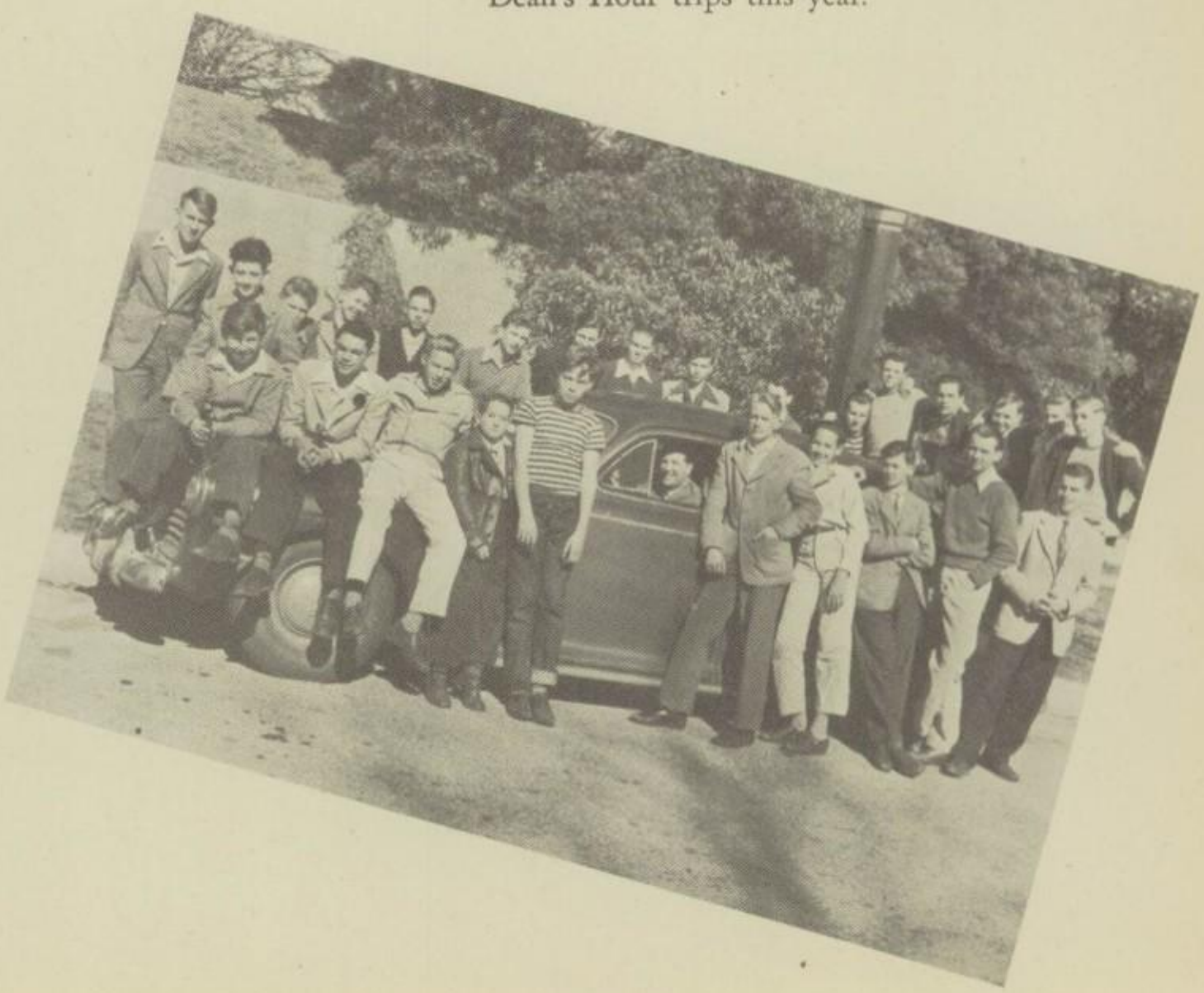
VIOLIN
CONCERT

by

Virginia Ellis

Deans' Hour

Thank You Beyrl and Don Milligan for our swell
Dean's Hour trips this year.



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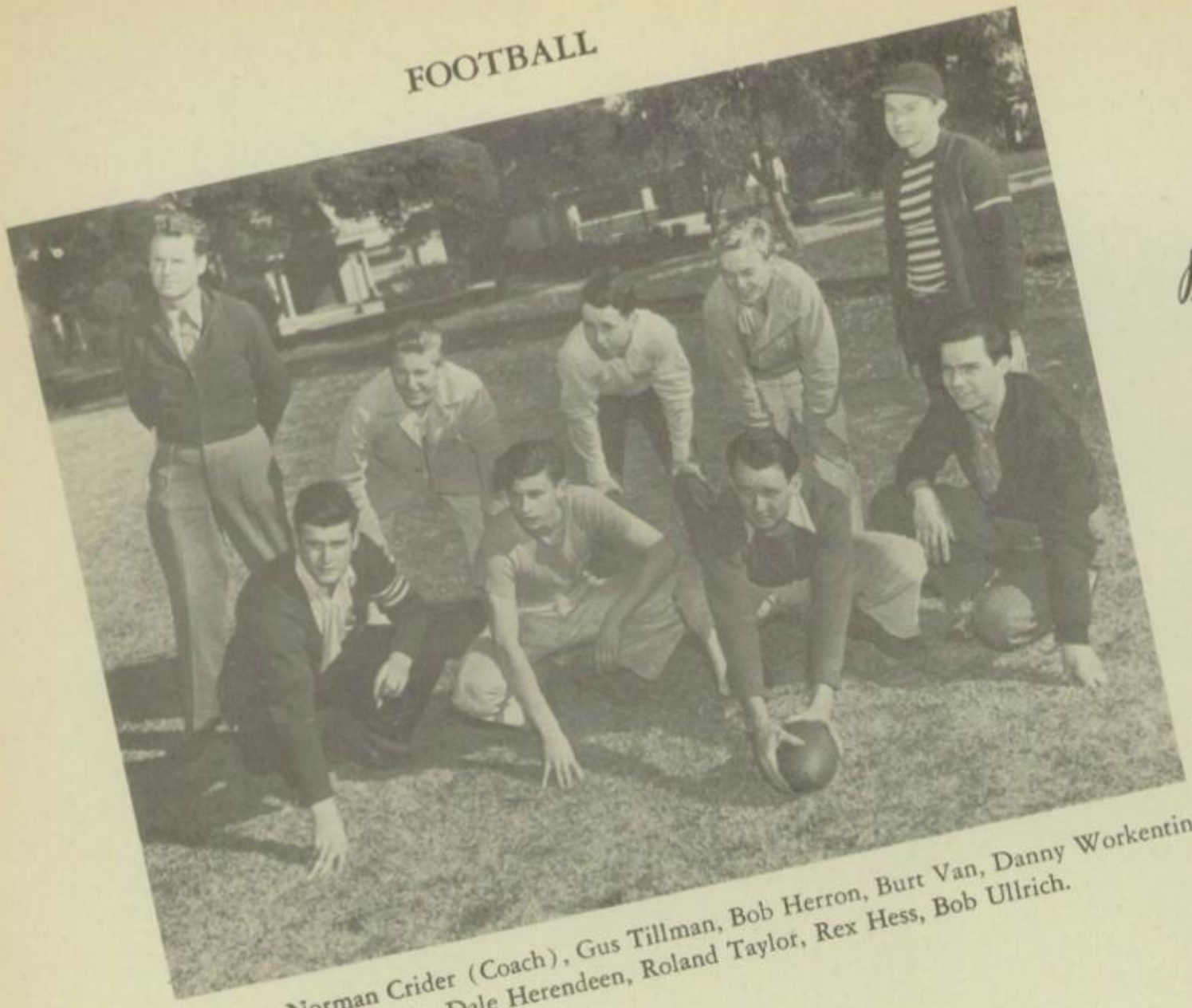

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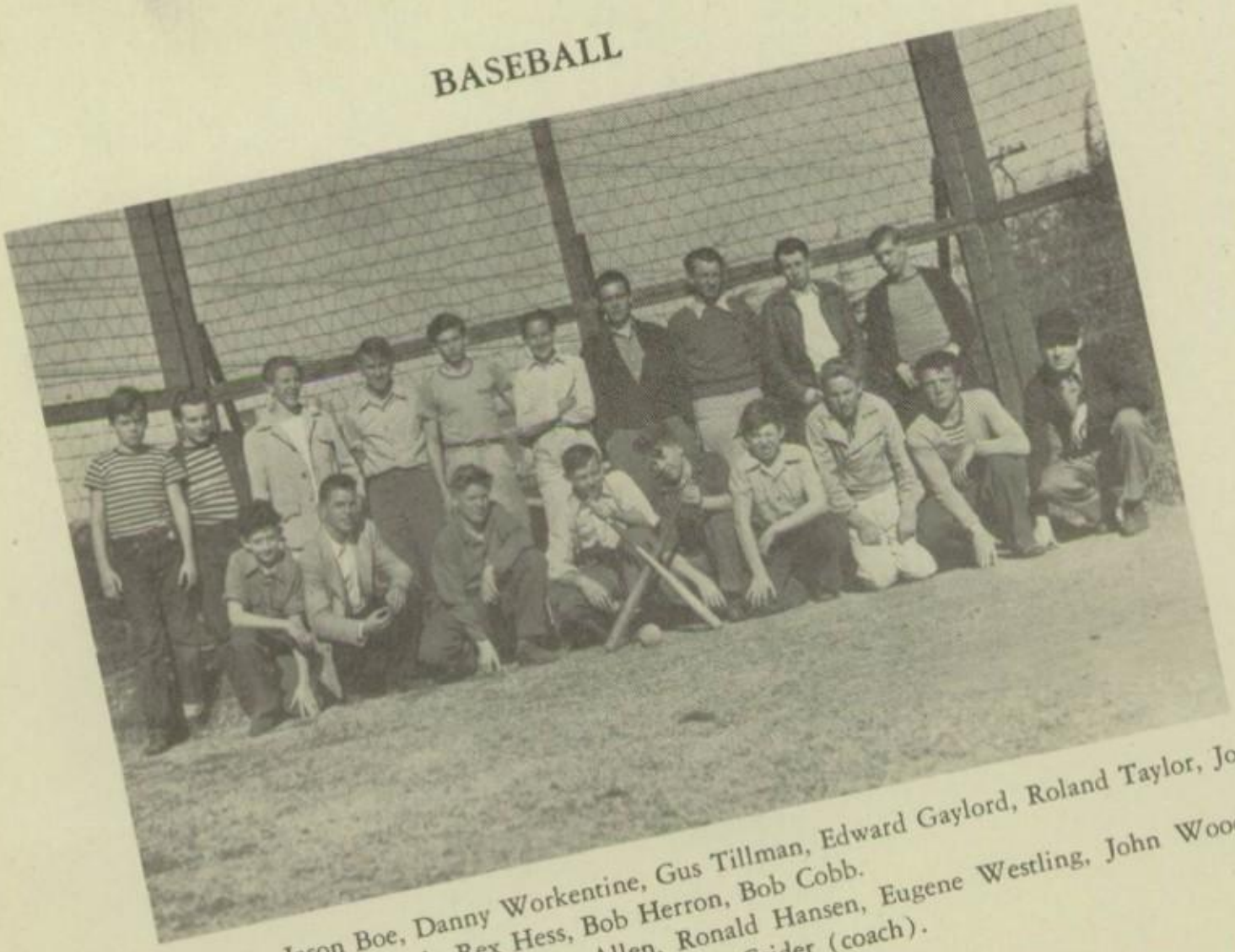
BASEBALL



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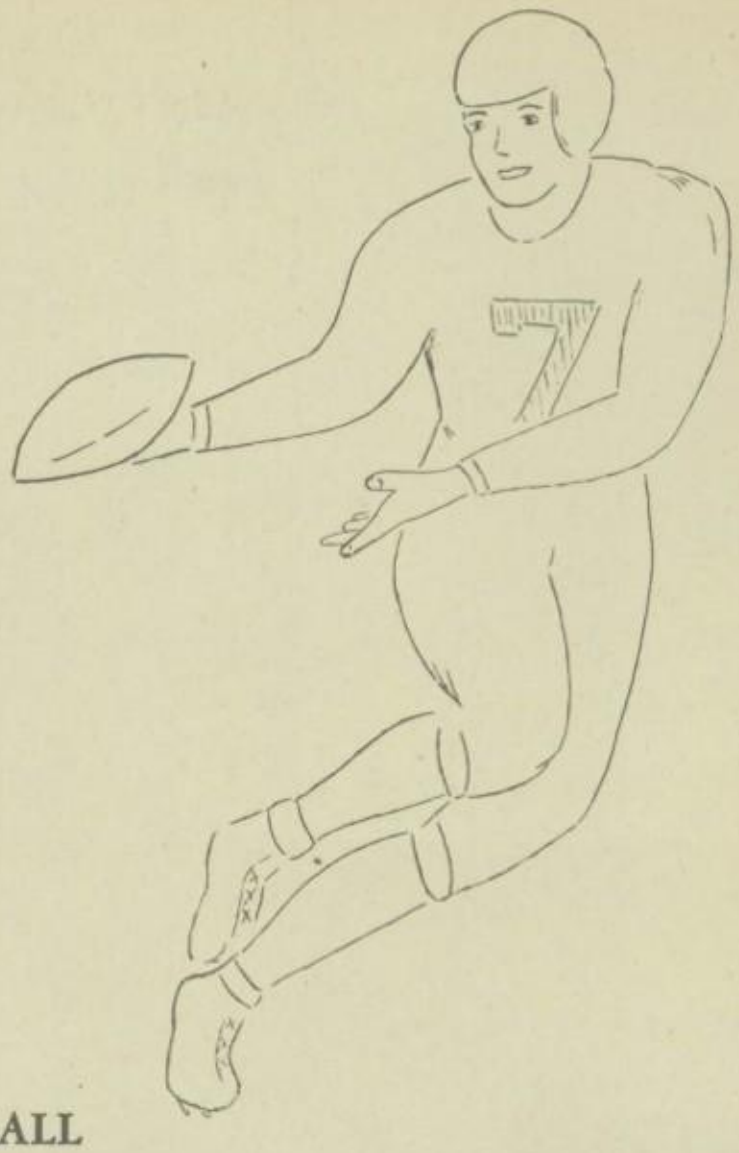
Front row: Robert Smith, Charles Allen, Ronald Hansen, Eugene Westling, John Woods, Virgil Hodges, Burt Van, Eugene Case, Norman Crider (coach).

FIGHT SONG

(Princeton Tune)

There's a team—Pilot team
That is mighty hard to beat.
And we'll fight on for old Culter High.
It's a team! What a team!
With an awful lot of steam!
And we'll march on to Victory
We're a team that can't be beaten
And we do not stoop to cheatin'
We will play the game and play it fair.
We're the team—On the beam
And we're come with lot's of steam
So clear the decks for here we come.
Oh, the spirit of Culter is way up high
Keep it up, keep it up, every loyal guy.
We can beat—We can beat if we only try
Man your post and we'll fight to Victory
With a *zoom, zoom, zoom* and a
boom-i-de, boom-i-de, boom
We will knock around that team
Until it thinks it's in a dream
This is all that we say so you'd better
clear the way
It's the Culter Pilot's day to win!!
And we will win!!



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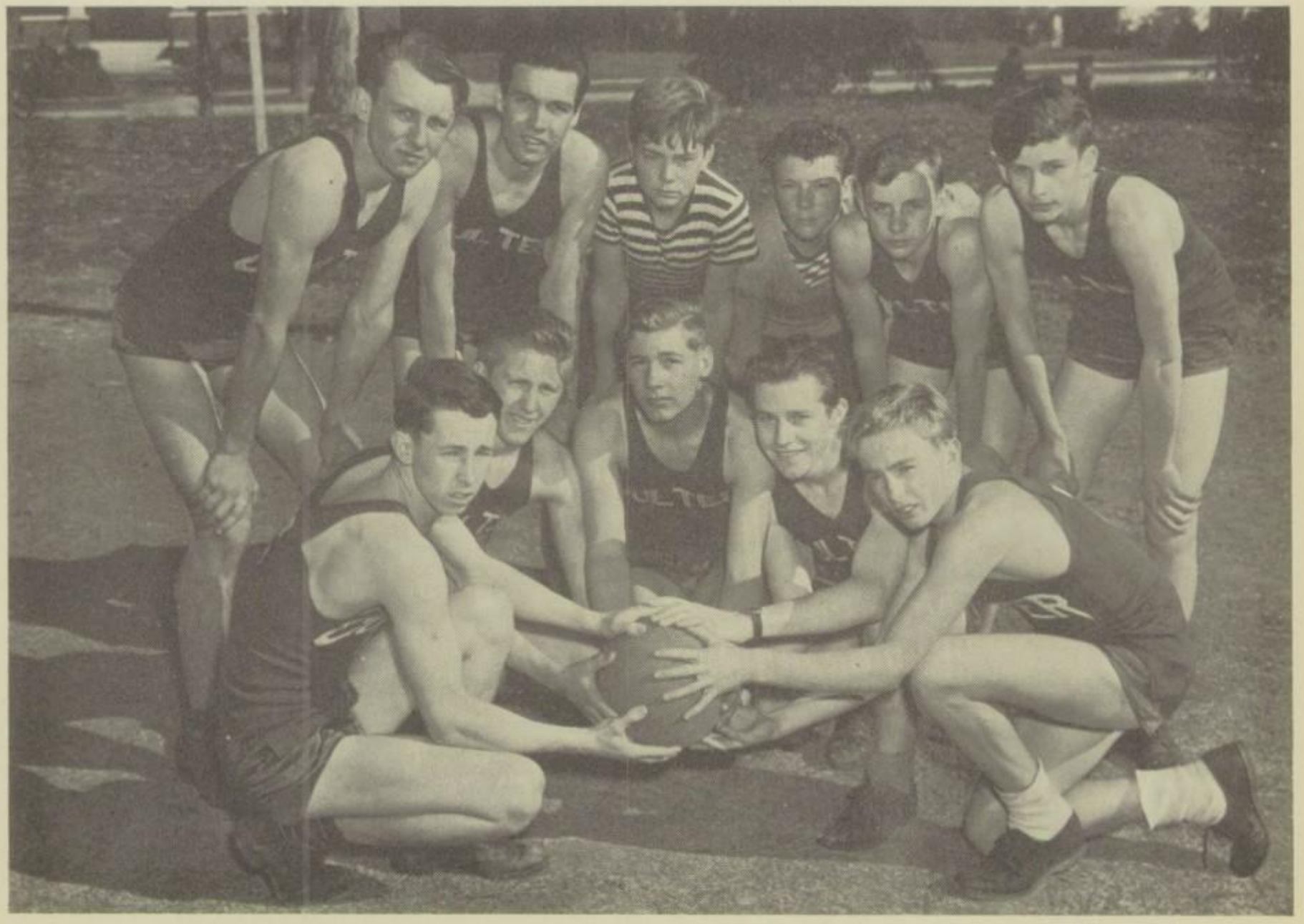

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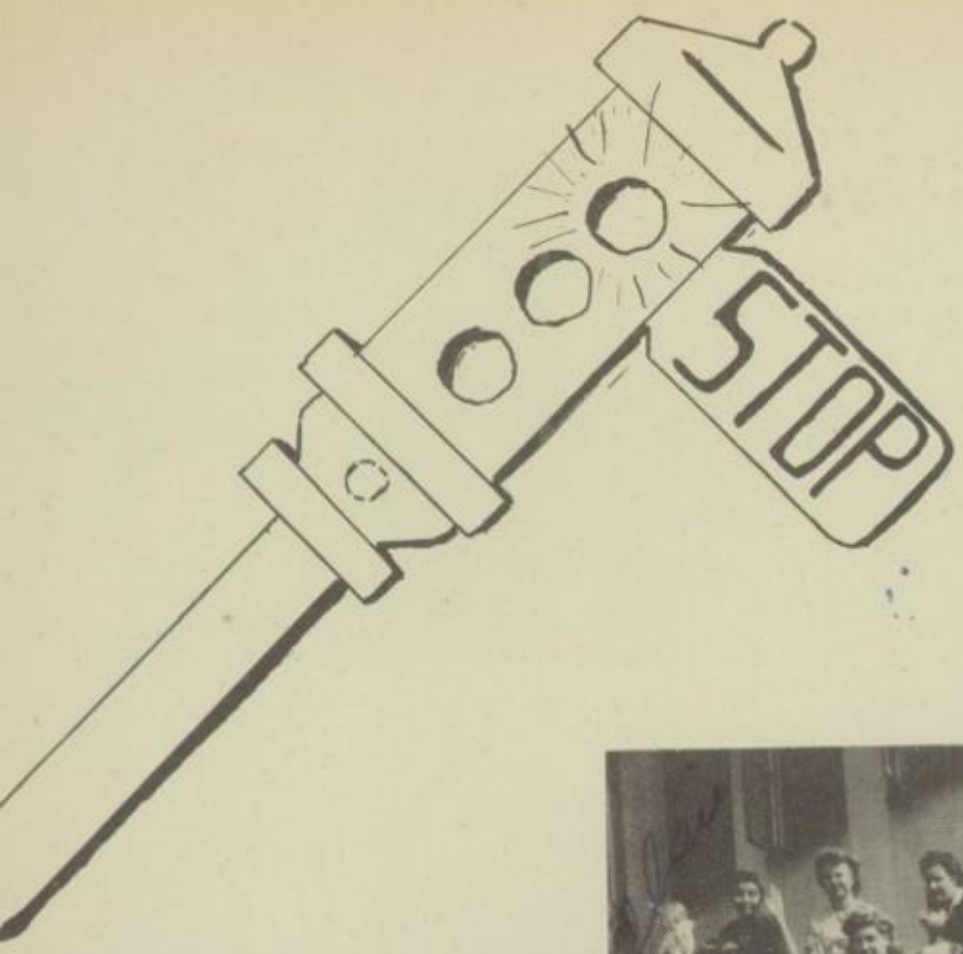
Girl's Sports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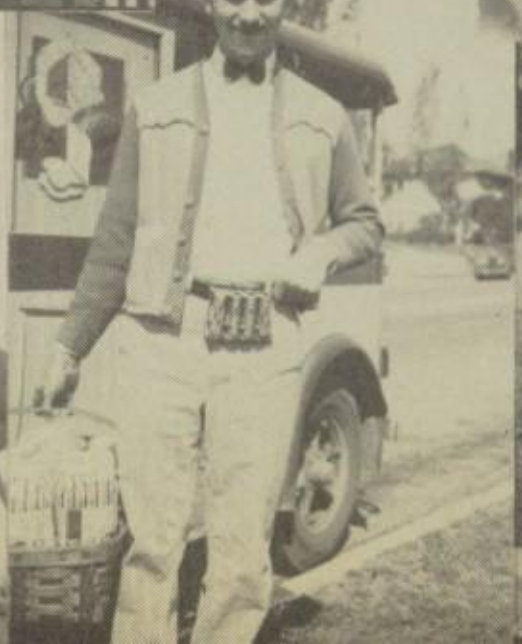

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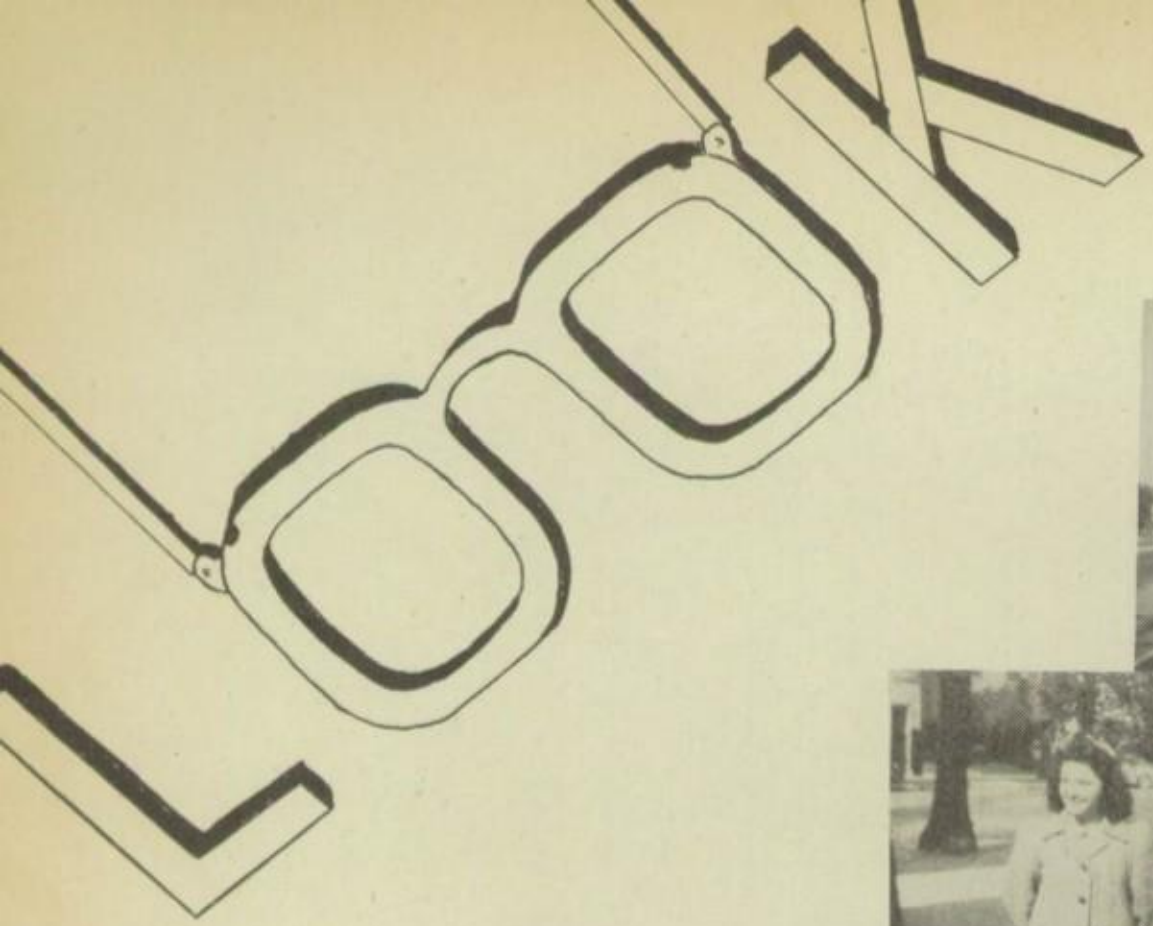


LISTEN

HOLLAND'S SUMMIT
Steaks Lunches Fountain

JR. HIGH

Back row: Lloyd Biddele, Ted Carter, Spencer Sutherland, David VanMeter, Otto Lehmann, Bob McGaha, Joseph Espedal, Dick Whittington.

Front row: Paul Northrop, Carolyn Ahlstrand, Mary Ann Miller, Dorothy Thomas, Ellen Beukema, Mary Lou Allen, Evelyn Taylor, Dick Herron.

Eighth Grade Graduating Class

This graduation is not so much the completion of a preliminary phase of educational life as it is the commencement of a new phase of that life.

May entrance upon this period in education open new vistas of greater possibilities with their attendant responsibilities, and furnish a vision of an increasingly richer life toward which each shall aspire and diligently strive.

Seventh Grade

Junior Highers

Sports

Glee Clubs

Deans' Hours

Snaps

ELEMENTARY

Sixth Grade

Back row: Joyce Hawthorn, Elin Brill, Hugo Lehmann, Sarah Taylor, Myrna Mayell.
Front row: Tucker Graham, Jean Short, Alfild Finstrom, Joan Marshall, Norman Lowrey.

Sixth Graders in Action

Graduation from the Elementary School is one of the first milestones on the road towards an educational goal. It is the passing from the fundamental lessons to a wider scope of interest and learning.

Although the sixth grade has this year been connected in some ways with the Junior Academy the members are each one looking forward to being full-fledged Junior Highers next year.

Fourth and Fifth Grades

I saw a little cat going down the street
It is as nice a little cat as ever you did meet.
I have a little turtle
She sticks her head in and out,
She sleeps all day,
Her name is Lee Kay.
My Mother has a dog,
His name is Ching Chow,
He follows me home
Or where ever I roam.

BARBARA ANN BROOKE

We didn't come to school to play,
For we are working every day,
We have committed scriptures, read books,
Many Arithmetic, Language, and Health Problems
we clearly see,
And now we have been writing this poetry.

SPRING

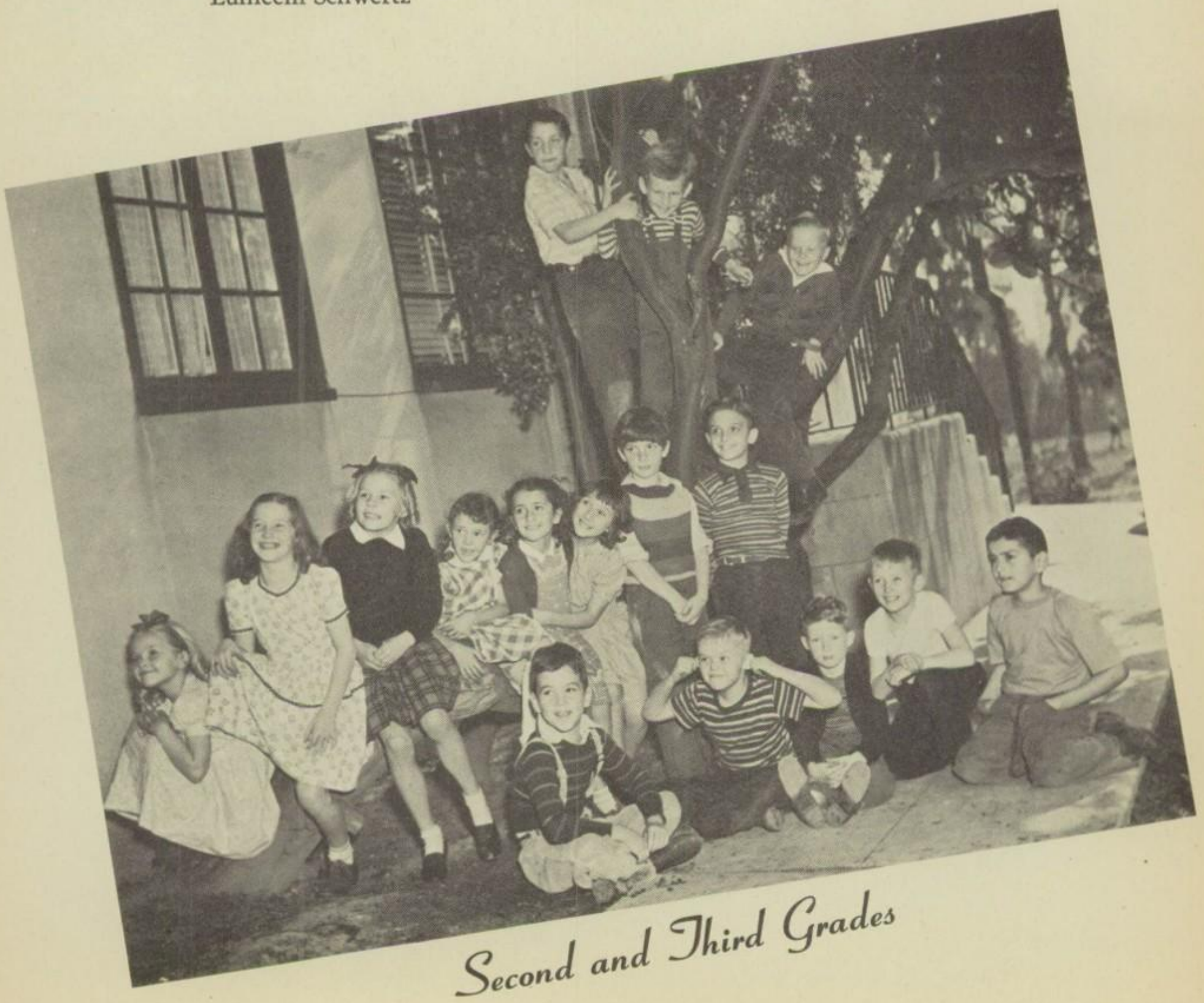
Springtime is here!
Let us hear
The birds that sing,
And the message they bring.
Everyone should be happy and gay,
On this wonderful day.

Luhleem Schwertz

MY TURTLE

I have a little turtle,
Her head goes in and out,
I gave the name of Myrtle.
She's a naughty turtle
Because she runs about.

David Peterson



Second and Third Grades

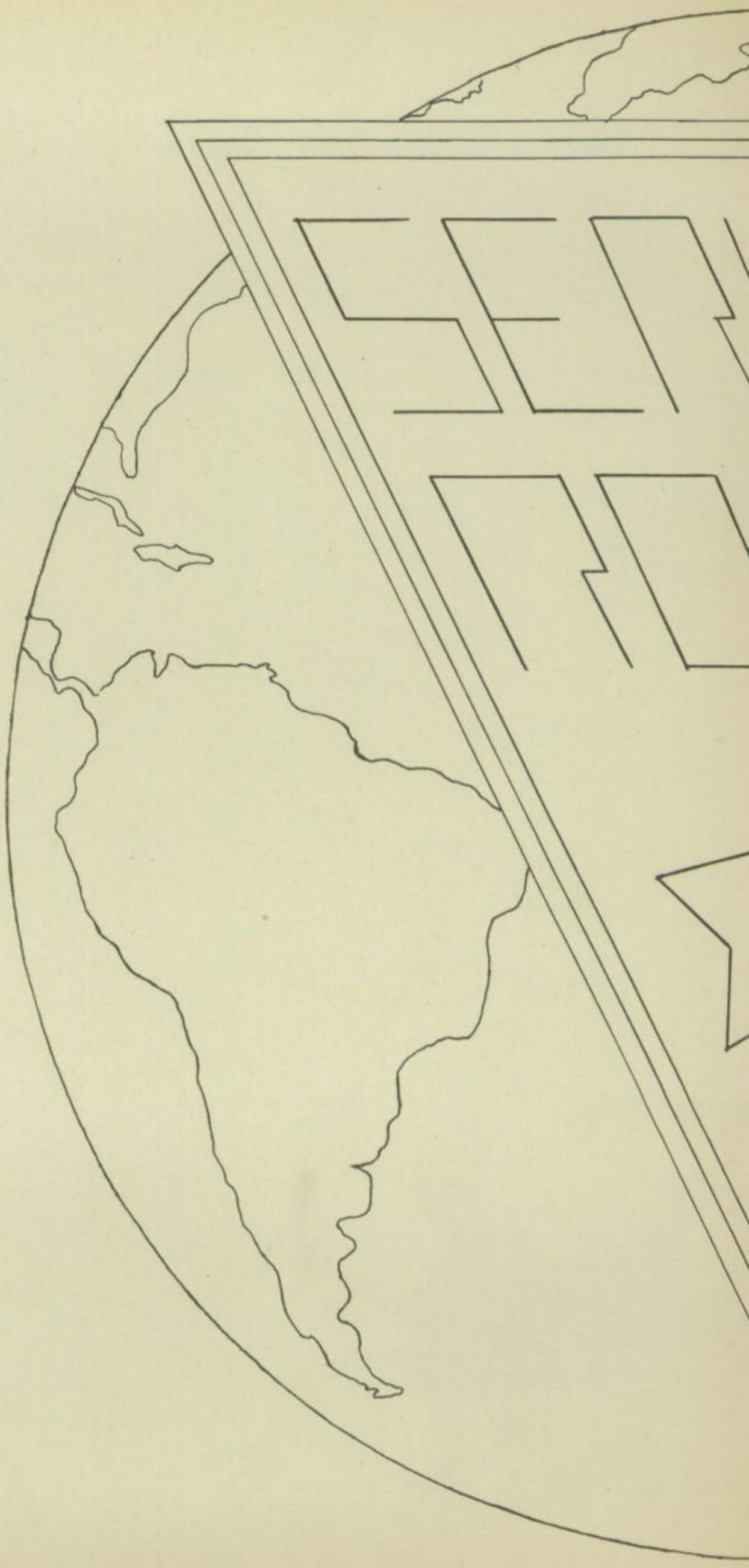
First Grade

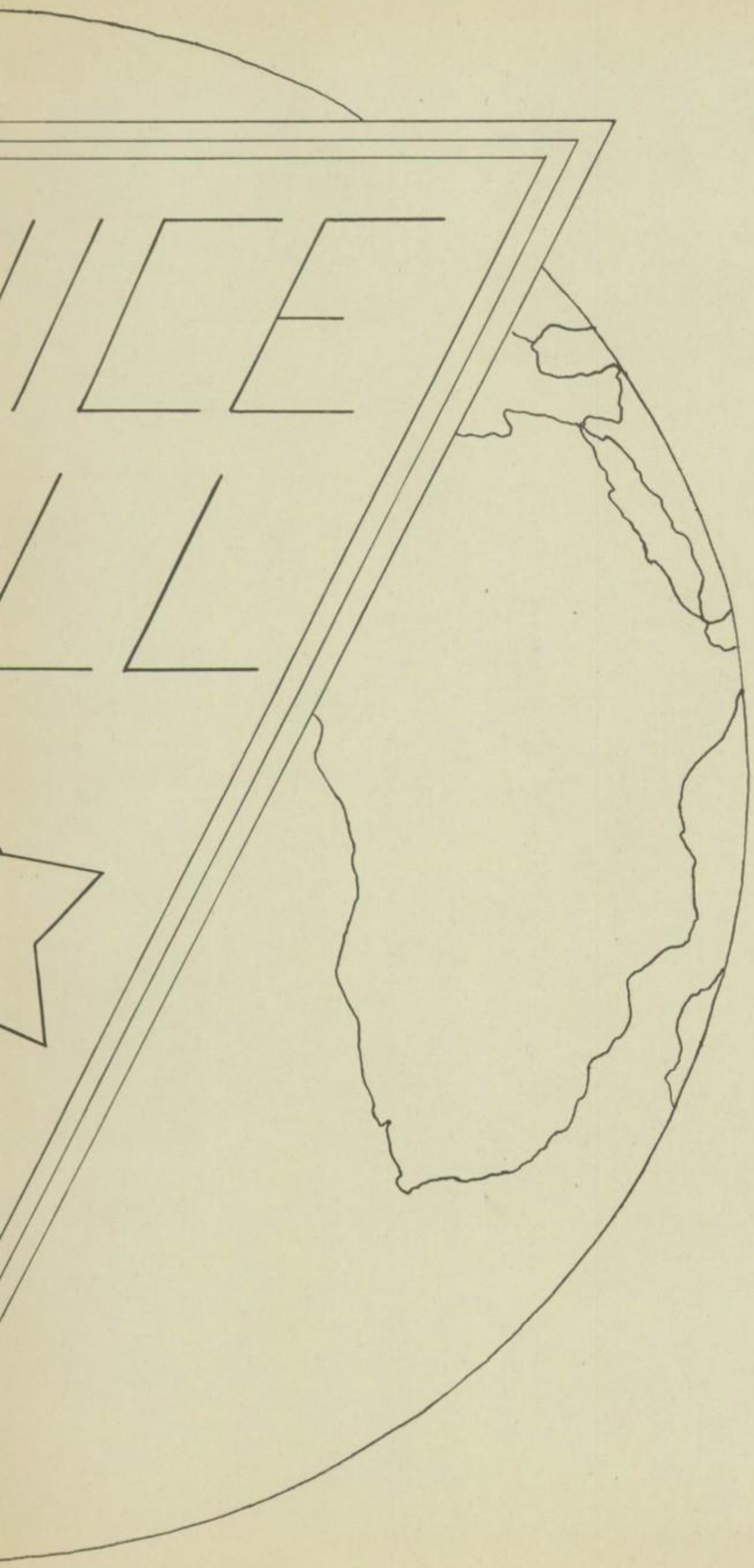
Spring is here, Spring is here,
When the birdies sing,
Children like to romp and play
In the sun, and swing.

Gloria Bordeaux

ALUMNI

Gordon Hansen
Wilbur Kelsey
Harley Osborne
Don Warner
Miss Jessie Rogers
Bob Brown
Morris Crawford
Louis Gehr
Jay Hannah
Henry Le Brecht
Lowell Marshburn
Dr. Rees
Jack Schlicht
James Taylor
Glenn Warner
Gerald Wondra
John Dunham
Eugene Herendeen
Stanley Cross
David Hansen
Chuck Corwin





Arnold Edman
John Freeman
Jimmy Graham
Allan Herendeen
Bob Hill
Warren Milldrum
Bud Rand
Kenneth Swantz
Fay Van
Jack Frost
Bob Van
Bob Blakeman
Fred Austin
Mr. Crider
Marvin Blake
Richard Hamilton
David Johnson
Eldon Hoyt
Vincent Burrell
Jack Gibson

SO RALLY AROUND
BRAVE AMERICANS ALL,
FOR UNITED WE STAND
BUT DIVIDED WE FALL.

Buy More War Bonds and Stamps

Attending College

BIOLA
Doris Russell
Dorothy Schmidt

COLUMBIA BIBLE INSTITUTE
Katharine Boone
Maryanna Williams

L. A. CITY COLLEGE
Anita Burdick

OCCIDENTAL
Polly Nix
Alice Chuck

PRAIRIE BIBLE INSTITUTE
Ethel Edmonds

U. C. L. A.
Alice Herron

U. S. C.
Lorraine Fager

WESTMONT
Peggy McCreery
Eloise Paxton
Nancy Tyler
Mary Lemmon
Nancy Lanier

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN UNIVERSITY
Charlotte Hoyt

NURSES TRAINING
Muriel Omark

SOUTH AMERICA
Glenn Turner

Working

Betty Coe
Margaret Coe
Thelma Crawford
Mary Harwood
Fern Griffin
Joan Lagerstrom
Maxine Marshall
Nellie Ball
Sophie Graham
Marchia Margetts
Catharine Tillman
Bonnie Osborne
Jullianne Southerland
Bob McCreery
Dwight Boe

Married

Yvonne Dunn Rand
Virginia Heiss Bulkley
Wilma Crosley Bassett
Mildred Taylor Warner

CULTER'S
FIRST GRANDCHILD

Glenn James Warner
son of
Pfc. and Mrs. Glenn Warner

We Thank You . . .

Miss Getty for your tireless and loving help and advice;
Miss Culter and the Faculty for your patient assistance;
Mr. Nowlin for a swell printing job;
Keystone Photo Service for some good pictures;
Mr. Babcock for our nice covers;
And the rest of the Student Body for all your cooperation in putting out this year's CRUSADER.

The SENIOR CLASS of '44

Dear Helen,
It surely has been swell knowing you this year. Never forget the good times we had this year and most of all never forget "the Lord Jesus Christ." Our saviour.
With love,
Marilyn

Lots of luck to a swell girl. Haven't we had fun in Chemistry?
Love,
Jackie & Mary

Dear Helen,
"Let us go on to the high altitude of the Christian life with a right heart and a right voice."
Heb. 6:1, 8
3:16-17 Jodie
Dear Helen,
Sunday"

Dear Helen,
You're a keen kid, keep it up! I'll never forget our friends in Study Hall with you. I'm going to miss all you guys & next year. Your pal,
Mary

Dear Helen,
You're a swell kid. Keep your hair braid-ed so it will get long.
Eleanor

Dear Helen,
Don't ever forget the Dr.; Dr.; Party. It was Grade A fun, wasn't it? Let's all meet sometime & talk over old times.
Love,
Marian

Dear Helen,
Have a nice vacation with your family & friends.
Love,
Dawn

Good Bye for now Sugar
Joan

to a very fine Person,
Lots of luck
Jimmie
Emmault

Dear Helen;
I want to wish
you all the luck and
stuff that goes with it.
We've had oodles of fun
this year and you have
had a part in making that
fun. I like you lots
and all
also.
Love
Joan

Dear Helen:
Just wishing you all kinds of luck in the future. I enjoyed knowing you this year and hope you have a swell time in the future.
Sincerely
Betty Lou Kesler

Goo-bye,
Walter Carter

Bob Hesser

Thanks Good Luck
Love
Mary Ellen

Darling Helen: really we have had fun haven't we? Remember that pay with nervous dis- orders? I thought I'd never quite laughing. Six looking forward to another year of good times again next year, and I am, now, as ever, your friend Shirley Kister

P.S. Don't forget our cute "Hi" "I hate to see you go"

Dear Helen
We sure have had lots of fun especially on the streetcar. I hope you will be back next year.
Love Rosalie

Good Luck,
Remember the, "Ink in the teeth?
Jason Bee

Dear Helen,
I've been sending you this Bible verse all year. I hope you come back next year.
Your friend
Pinkie

Best of Luck
in the coming
years.
Robert Smith

As you leave Colter
to the Summer —
remember Him —
Sincerely M. Crider
"Bro"

Dear Helen
Here is wishing
you lots + lots
of happiness. As this
summer goes + next year
comes + will both
be Seniors HA HA. I'll
remember Marie as the
Reverend's daughter Marie? More fun
remember under our fellowship
Also the Blind
Date. Love Beckie the
Air. Lord 3:17.

Dear Twins
engaged
This year
Love

Dear Helen,
Lots of luck
Sure and do
Forget "Whi
Hope My Ph
Love
Jeanne

Dear Helen,
I don't know
lots of
you very much
Hope you come back
next year.
Joe

Lots of Letter
to a swell girl
Bud

Hello Dear
Sweet you're
I Need Thrush
Dearest
Lois